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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Continued warm today and to-night. Occasional light rain late to-night.

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SURGE BY AXIS IN CENTRAL TUNISIA HAS BEEN HALTED

Rommel's Forces Face Tough Time; Allies Hold Hill Positions

HAMMERED ON SOUTH

British 8th Army Deploys Against the Mareth Line

By International News Service

The Axis surge in central Tunisia has been halted, and Nazi Field Marshal Erwin Rommel today faced a tough and busy future.

His tank and motorized units were on the flat plains while French and American forces held the hill positions of western Tunisia and Algeria in commanding locations that controlled the passes through the rugged range, averaging 3,000 to 4,000 feet elevation.

Even if the wily Rommel felt he could storm the heights positions held by the Allies and breach the Allied lines, he was certain to suffer losses in men and equipment, and he could ill afford losses with the powerful British Eighth Army deployed against the Mareth line on the south.

This tough and smart army, which chased the Afrika Korps out of Egypt and across Libya into Tunisia, already is in action in a preliminary bombardment of the Mareth fortifications. They have the choice of crashing through, or flanking the "little Maginot line" at the north, in the central area, or on the desert terrain at the south.

American aircraft continued harassing attacks on the enemy advanced

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Albert M. Morris Dies; State Sanitarian

A well known resident of lower Bucks County died yesterday at his home in Langhorne when Albert M. Morris, State Sanitarian for lower Bucks County, passed away at his home, 132 W. Richardson avenue. He was 61 years of age.

Mr. Morris has been ill for the past several weeks and was a patient in the Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J., for three weeks.

The deceased was a native of the vicinity of Langhorne and had resided in the community his entire lifetime.

Mr. Morris served in the administrations of Governors Pichot, Fisher and James. He was a member of Newtown Lodge No. 427, F. and A. M., the Knights of Pythias of Newtown, and the Independent Americans of South Langhorne. He served for 14 years on the Langhorne School board, six as president.

He is survived by his wife, Bessie, and a son, F. Hampton, of Glenside, and one sister, Mrs. Lida Ege, Trenton, N. J. Funeral service will be held at 2 P. M. Tuesday at the Horner funeral home, Langhorne, with burial in Newtown Cemetery.

Mr. Morris was a member of the Langhorne Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Henry Cunningham, of Newtown, will officiate.

Mr. Morris a number of years ago conducted a restaurant at Langhorne.

THE SANTAMARIA FUNERAL

Services for Fedele Santamaria, who was found dead at his tailoring shop in Burlington, N. J., yesterday, are arranged for Monday at nine a. m., from his late residence, 431 Cedar street. High Mass will be said in St. Ann's R. C. Church at 10 o'clock, with interment in St. Mark's Cemetery. Arrangements are in charge of Galzerano, funeral director.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings
Maximum 53 F
Minimum 23 F
Range 30 F

Hourly Temperatures
8 a. m. yesterday .. 23
9 25
10 30
11 35
12 noon 41
1 p. m. 45
2 48
3 50
4 52
5 53
6 51
7 48
8 45
9 44
10 42
11 40
12 midnight 38
1 a. m. today 30
2 28
3 27
4 26
5 25
6 25
7 24
8 23

P. C. Relative Humidity 71
Precipitation (inches) 0

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 4:11 a. m., 4:33 p. m.
Low water 11:25 a. m., 11:53 p. m.

Edgely Defense Units To Hear Prominent Speakers

EDGELEY, Feb. 20—Edgely Emergency Defense units and the general public will be addressed by speakers of prominence on Tuesday evening at a dinner session in Lodge's Hall, opposite the P. R. R. station.

Colonel Churchill Williams, chief of Civilian Defense of Bucks County; Brigadier General W. A. McCain, county chief of emergency police; Ira Flisk, county chief of transportation; and J. Leslie Kilcoyne, Esq., will address the gathering.

The dinner hour is seven o'clock, and tickets may be secured by telephoning Bristol 7476 or 2960 today or Sunday.

REAL ESTATE IN BUCKS CO. CHANGES OWNERSHIP

Number of Real Estate Transfers Listed At Registrar's Office

LIST IS MADE PUBLIC

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 20—Ownership of several pieces of real estate has changed in Bucks County:

Langhorne—Rose Lieberman to Albert Hansch et ux, one acre, \$1500.

Middletown twp.—J. Russell Edgerton et al to John S. Wright et ux, 20 acres.

Morrisville—Charles Gofsky et al to Zapito Ruzzi et ux, lot.

Bristol, first ward—Executors of Walter F. Leedom to Mary Farina, lot \$2500.

Newtown twp.—Raymond S. Taylor to William M. Davis, 2 acres, \$621.60.

Bensalem twp.—George E. Clayton to John Bernhardt et ux, lots, \$2900.

Newtown, second ward—Sallie V. Phillips to Anna W. Wall, lot.

Bristol twp.—George T. Wheeler et ux to Franklin P. Wolfinger et ux, lots, \$1200.

Doylestown Annex—Executors of Richard Fischer et al to Lando K. Moyer et ux, lot, \$4400.

Morrisville, fourth ward—John D. Winner et ux to Italian American Social Club, lot.

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West Rockhill twp.—Leon Herbert Getman to Clarence T. Gegan et ux, one acre, 55 perches, \$3300.

Middletown twp.—Harry H. Evans, Jr., et ux to William J. Walsh et ux, lots, \$375.

Nockamixon twp.—Theodore M. Moyer to Stephen Guttman et ux, 3 acres, 44 perches.

New Britain—Chalfont Building and Loan Association to Charles L. Kennedy, Jr., lot.

New Britain—Ernest Gommel et ux to Charles L. Kennedy, Jr., lot.

Langhorne—Catherine Andrew to Percy L. Brick et ux, lot.

Bensalem twp.—Estate of Samuel R. Creely to June E. Canney et vir, lot.

Tullytown—Dorothy Mae Harrison to Harry G. Malcolm et ux, lot, \$2000.

Springfield twp.—Elsie I. Sloyer to Sarah A. Funk, one acre.

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Richland twp.—Frank Schuring et ux, one acre.

"Ben" B. Greber Is Named Bristol Theatre Manager

The Bristol Theatre has recently acquired the services of "Ben" B. Greber in the managerial post. For the past six years Mr. Greber was associated with Affiliated Theatres, Inc., a large independent theatre circuit in this vicinity. During that time he served in various managerial capacities and later became director of public relations, advertising and publicity.

Mr. Greber was also with the Stanley-Warner staff for five years.

In preparing the current show schedules, Mr. Greber assures everyone that they will enjoy the best entertainment season ever at the Bristol Theatre, and he is hoping that patrons will personally submit suggestions.

Here and There in Bucks County Towns

George S. Reppa, 22-year-old son of Mrs. Amelia Reppa, Perkasi, an enlisted member of the Navy, escaped injury when the U. S. S. "Chicago" was sunk by Japanese torpedo planes in the engagement in the Solomon Islands area January 29-February 4. A letter written on February 4th, and received by his mother here on Monday, indicates that he is safe.

Reppa, a weaver in a local towel mill, enlisted during the past summer, and after his training period was assigned to the "Chicago."

The letter received by his mother, Monday, was dated February 4th, but makes no mention of the battle. However, the widowed mother reads between the lines that her son, in addressing a letter to her so soon after the battle, is simply telling her he escaped injury without violating the rules of censorship.

A Quakertown man is believed to be the first person in that area to get personal message into and out of Germany in the course of the war.

He is Walter Teller, who, in the course of a year, and by operating through the Red Cross, sent a letter

Cut This Out— HERE'S FORM YOU'LL FILE TO GET RATION BOOK NO. 2 —For Canned Goods and Meat

Form Approved, Budget Bureau No. 98-B126-42
OPA Form No. R-1301

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION

One copy of this Declaration must be filed with the Office of Price Administration by each person applying for War Ration Book Two for the members of a family unit, and by each person who is not a member of a family unit. File at the site designated. Coupons will be deducted for excess supplies of the foods listed below according to the schedules announced by the Office of Price Administration.

CONSUMER DECLARATION Processed Foods and Coffee

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am authorized to apply for and receive a War Ration Book Two for each person listed below who is a member of my family unit, or the other person or persons for whom I am acting whose War Ration Book One I have submitted to the Board;

That the name of each person and number of his or her War Ration Book One are accurately listed below;

That none of these persons is confined or resident in an institution, or is a member of the Armed Forces receiving subsistence in kind or eating in separate messes under an officer's command;

That no other application for War Ration Book Two for these persons has been made;

That the following inventory statements are true and include all indicated foods owned by all persons included in this Declaration:

Coffee

1. Pounds of coffee owned on November 28, 1942, minus 1 pound for each person included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.

2. Number of persons included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.

Canned Foods

Include all commercially canned fruits (including spiced);

canned vegetables; canned fruit and vegetable juices; canned soups, chili sauce, and catsup.

Do not include canned olives; canned meat and fish; pickles, relish; jellies, jams, and preserves; spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles; or home-canned foods.

3. Number of cans, bottles, and jars (8-ounce size or larger) of commercially packed fruits, vegetables, juices and soups, chili sauce and catsup owned on February 21, 1943, minus 5 for each person included in this Declaration.

4. Number of persons included in this Declaration.

The name of each person included in this Declaration and the number of his or her War Ration Book One is:

Print Name	Number
1.
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4.
5.
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7.
8.

If additional space is needed, attach separate sheet

(Signature of applicant or authorized agent)
(Address)
(City and State)

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NOTICE—Section 35 (A) of the United States Criminal Code makes it a criminal offense, punishable by a maximum of 10 years imprisonment, \$10,000 fine, or both, to make a false statement or representation as to any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States.

LAUDS AID OF THOSE WHO DONATE OF BLOOD

Navy Man Says It Is A Direct Aid To the Winning Of War

LOUIS A. RUSSO WRITES

A young Bristol man serving in the U. S. Naval Reserve Corps, in a letter written to the editor of The Bristol Courier, stated that those donating

FALSE ALARM

Bristol Consolidated Fire Co. received what is believed to have been a false alarm to extinguish a "grass fire" in the vicinity of Newport Road yesterday afternoon.

MISS LAURA ELLIS IS WED AT DELMAR, DEL.

Principal of Jefferson Avenue School Becomes Bride of Harvey E. Henry

MANY AT CEREMONY

A member of the faculty of Bristol public schools was wed at Delmar, Del., last evening, when Miss Laura I. Ellis, 219 Jefferson avenue, principal of Jefferson avenue public school, became the bride of Mr. Harvey E. Henry, of Laurel, Del. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Charles M. Ellis, of Delmar.

The attractive ceremony, witnessed by a large company of relatives and friends of Mr. Henry and the former Miss Ellis, was solemnized in Mt. Olive Methodist Church, Delmar, at the hour of eight o'clock. Dr. James Lord, pastor, officiating.

The vocalists were Mrs. Joseph Talbot, Monroe street, whose offerings

WILLIAM A. BUCK DIES; FUNERAL TO BE MONDAY

Had Sustained Injuries In A Fall Less Than Two Months Ago

LIVED HERE 60 YEARS

Less than two months after he was injured in a fall, William A. Buck died at his home on Thursday. He was a resident of 425 Washington street.

Surviving are a son, Joseph, of Bristol; a brother, Edward, also of Bristol; and two grandchildren. He was the husband of the late Elvora Buck.

Mr. Buck had made his home in Bristol for 60 years.

The Rev. James R. Gailey, pastor of Bristol Presbyterian Church, will officiate at the service at the Molden funeral chapel, 133 Otter street, on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Burial will be in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

FREE SCRAP DEALER ON CHARGE OF FRAUD AFTER COURT TRIAL

George Albert, Wilkes-Barre, Accused of Fraudulent Conversion

JURY OUT TWO HOURS

Albert Thanks Jurors After Their Verdict Is Given

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 20—Deliberating two hours, a jury in the Bucks county criminal court acquitted George Albert, 64 Lamis street, Wilkes-Barre, of a charge of fraudulent conversion of quarry equipment, which the prosecutor, Edward Kimmenhour, 50-year-old Harrow farmer, claimed that he removed from his quarry without permission.

When the verdict was returned, Albert stood next to his attorney and thanked the members of the jury before they retired from their seats. The case was tried before Judge Hiram H. Keller.

On the witness stand, the defendant related how he went to the Bucks county farm of the prosecutor, where there is an abandoned stone quarry.

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MIDDLETOWN GRANGE ANNOUNCES DELEGATES

To Serve As Representatives At Lower Bucks-Phila. Pomona

H. HESTON PRESIDES

LANGHORNE, Feb. 20—George H. Yerkes, Dr. H. C. Terry and Mrs. Henry C. Pickering were named as delegates to the quarterly meeting of Lower Bucks and Philadelphia Pomona Grange, No. 22, to be held at Penn's Park on March 3rd. They are delegates from Middletown Grange which held a session here this week.

Attended by 39 members, the meeting was in charge of the master, Herman Heston, and during the business session it was decided to hold the annual meeting on March 17th. It was decided also to hold the next regular meeting of the Grange on Wednesday evening, March 3rd, at which time the officers will be in charge of the program.

The program, which was in charge of the lecturer, Mrs. Leslie Kirk, featured a talk on farm machinery by R. Walker Jackson, who announced Bucks county's allotment of farm machinery for the current year. He also pointed out the importance of keeping farm machinery in good repair.

Mrs. George H. Yerkes, of the home economics department, gave a number of war time recipes and listed a number of what she termed coffee "stretchers."

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Motorists May Drive To Register for Book 2

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20—(INS)—Motorists may use their automobiles to drive to schools to register for ration book No. 2. It was ruled today by State OPA Director Raymond P. Ashenfelter.

It was estimated approximately 3,200,000 persons in the Philadelphia OPA districts will register next week. In Philadelphia, Bucks, Delaware, Chester and Berks counties registration dates are Tuesday to Friday, inclusive. In Montgomery and Northampton counties registration will be held from Tuesday to Thursday, and in Lehigh county from Wednesday to Friday, inclusive.

Public elementary and junior high schools will be used generally. OPA stated, although high schools will be used in a few communities. Parochial schools will assist in the registration in Philadelphia, Chester and Allentown.

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LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Declares Liberation of Philippines is Certain

Washington—In a special broadcast short-waved to his homeland now under Japanese domination, Philippine president Manuel Quezon today told his people that President Roosevelt has given recognition to the Philippines "as possessed of the attributes of full nationhood."

Quezon, in his address authorized by President Roosevelt, said that the only thing lacking is the formal establishment of the Philippine republic. "He declared that liberation of the Philippines 'is certain.'"

The special broadcast was an answer to Japanese propaganda which has been telling the Philippine people not to have faith in America and that the independence of the islands will only come from Japan.

Wilhelmshaven Base Attacked Again

London—Royal Air Force bombers heavily attacked Wilhelmshaven last night for the second night in a row and for the 72nd time in the present war, the Air Ministry announced today.

The RAF also attacked objectives in western Germany and electric transformer stations in France, the Air Ministry statement added.

Fourteen bombers failed to return, it was revealed, indicating an exceptionally heavy force of large planes had been in action.

The communiqué said the electric stations were attacked with "army co-operation," but this was not immediately explained. It was assumed that paratroopers or commandos had assisted in the raids by ground action.

Two-ton block-busters were dropped in Thursday's raid and the same probably was true last night. The targets undoubtedly included the previously blasted docks and shipyards.

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J. H. Gulick Named Pres't Of the Sellersville Bank

SELLERSVILLE, Feb. 20—John H. Gulick, Blooming Glen, is the new president of Sellersville National Bank. He was elected at a regular meeting of the board of directors yesterday.

Mr. Gulick succeeds the late Alex Miller, Jr., who died February 2nd. The new executive is a commission merchant, having carried on that business for a number of years in Blooming Glen. He took office immediately.

Income Tax Night Will Be Marked By Realtors

"Income Tax Night" will be marked by members of Bucks County Real Estate Board at their meeting on March 4th, at the Fountain House, Doylestown.

At that time information regarding income tax will be presented.

A prominent speaker is being arranged for.

Hilltown Township Coaster Is Fatally Injured

UNIONVILLE, Feb. 20—A 12-year-old boy, Richard Weiss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Weiss, of Hilltown Township, was fatally hurt while coasting on Wednesday. The mother of the lad was watching him coast on a hill near Church Road.

Speeding down a rather steep incline about 6 o'clock, the sled, which was occupied by Weiss and two companions, ran from the field into the Fair Hill road and directly into the path of an automobile said to have been operated by George Frick, of Fricks. The companions were thrown clear as the sled and automobile collided, but Weiss was thrown under the car, and the machine passed over him.

The boy was taken to a Lansdale hospital. He died a short time later as the result of a fractured skull.

He is survived by his parents and two brothers.

Red Cross Workers To Meet Tuesday for War Fund Drive

There is to be a mass meeting of all of the workers of the Bristol Branch, American Red Cross War Fund Drive, in St. James' parish house, Wood and Walnut streets, Tuesday evening, at eight o'clock.

The meeting is to be a regional one and every worker is urged to attend. Workers will be present from the entire area covered by Bristol Branch.

A speaker will be present from Philadelphia headquarters and a moving picture will be shown.

LT. FEGELSON TRANSFERRED

First Lt. Jules Fegelson has been transferred from Camp Pickett, Va., to Camp Campbell, Ky.

AUXILIARY POLICE TAKE THEIR OATH OF OFFICE

Official Badge Numbers and Arm Bands Given At Newport Terrace Fire Station

SECTOR THREE MEETING

During the Citizen Defense Association meeting held Monday evening, in the Newport Fire Company station, No. 1, the Civilian Defense Auxiliary Police of Sector 3, Lower Bensalem, took the oath of allegiance, and were officially inducted to that branch of the OCD by Samuel G. Morrison, Township Chief.

Ronald McCauley, president of the association, announced that William Foster had resigned his office of chief of auxiliary police of Sector 3, due to changing his place of residence. Mr. McCauley said: "The community will keenly feel the loss of Mr. Foster. It was through his energetic activity that the auxiliary police came into being and has attained such high standards. However, it is my pleasure to announce that Mr. Morrison has appointed a capable gentleman to take

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ANNOUNCE RED CROSS WAR FUND WORKERS; DRIVE MARCH EIGHTH

House-to-house Canvass Is To Open On That Date In Bristol

DISTRICTS ARE LISTED

With Names of Solicitors In Bristol Borough, Bristol Twp., Tullytown

The workers for the Red Cross War Fund for 1943 have been named locally, the house-to-house canvass committee including many from Bristol and vicinity. The drive for funds will open on March 8th.

Mrs. Frank Lehman is chairman, she being assisted by Miss Marian B. Smith as co-chairman.

Mrs. Lehman announces the committee members for the various districts as follows:

First ward: Miss Marian B. Smith, chairman; Mrs. Wilbur Albright, Mrs. George Bruden, Mrs. A. Russell Burton, Mrs. William K. Fine, Mrs. Paul V. Forster, Mrs. Louis B. Gorton, Mrs. John J. Hargrave, Mrs. Harold Hunter, Miss Clara King, Mrs. Joseph Moore, Mrs. Charles Parker, Mrs. Samuel M. Updike.

Second ward: Miss Frances H. Landroth, chairman; Mrs. E. N. Anderson, Miss Lucia M. Churney, Miss Ellen Downing, Mrs. William Du Hamel, Mrs. Frederick Durkin, Mrs. Elwood P. Goslin, Miss Katherine M. McVie, Mrs. A. Vanuxem Morris, Mrs. Stanley Whittemore.

Third ward: Mrs. Horace N. Davis, chairman; Miss Jane Brownlee, Mrs. Dorothy Harrison, Mrs. Gilbert Lovett, Mrs. Edward Stetson, Mrs. Frank Volk, Mrs. William P. Yeagle.

Fourth ward: Miss Winifred V. Tracy, chairman; Miss Jean Angus, Miss Mary Elmer, Miss Betty Gallagher, Miss Natalie Marl, Miss Anna Paul, Mrs. Louis Townsend, Mrs. Roy Tracy.

Fifth ward: Mrs. Robert Brooks, chairman; Mrs. Frank Keating, Mrs. Thomas Knox, Mrs. William Marry, Mrs. Lester Michael, Miss Jane Rogers, Mrs. Paul Ronge, Mrs. Lester Thorne.

Sixth ward: Mrs. Albert G. Lochner, chairman; Mrs. Russell Crosby, Mrs. Scerril D. Delfoson, Mrs. A. Gillis, Mrs. Herbert Hanson, Mrs. Livingston Joyce, Mrs. Earl McEuen, Mrs. Richard McKinney, Mrs. Robert Moore, Mrs. Charles Peet, Mrs. Samuel Shire.

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Croydon Pupils Purchase \$521 Worth of War Stamps

CROYDON, Feb. 19—Since last October the children of Croydon school have been purchasing war stamps to aid in the war crisis. The project has had a two-fold purpose: First, it has enabled the children to take a part in the war effort; and second, it has promoted an interest in saving.

The group has reached a total sale of \$521.05. The grades have sold the following amounts: 6A, \$141.10; 5A, \$94.40; 6B, \$85.60; 4, \$48.65; 1, \$45.29; 3, \$37.15; 2, \$36.30; 5B, \$32.65.

Croydon School aims for the \$1000 mark by the end of school.

EXHIBITS HONOR ROLL

DiLorenzo's Pharmacy, Wood and Washington streets, is creating considerable interest among Second Ward residents by one of the store display windows. It was recently stripped of all commercial items and in their place is a large honor roll listing the names of the boys in the armed services from this section of the Borough. A more realistic touch is given by the use of a number of ship models appropriately placed in

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ILL-CLAD NAZIS

Due to ersatz textile production Germany is not so badly off yet as she was in 1918, but signs suggest that she will be soon. A new clothing rationing system has been instituted by which 100 points will be stretched over eighteen months. Previously 120 points were allowed for sixteen months.

And there is a joker even in the point system. A man buying a suit or an overcoat must show an official his dire need of it or he can not use his points at all. The government is trying to persuade Germans that patched, threadbare clothing is no disgrace.

Germany formerly imported 300,000 tons of cotton and 185,000 tons of wool annually. The blockade prevents her from getting all but a trickle of those former imports and ersatz industries are not meeting the needs. Uniforms for members of the Nazi youth organization are now issued as normal clothing to be worn everywhere. Ersatz leather is vanishing and many shoes are made of canvas uppers and wooden soles. These, too, are rationed.

The Army has first call on all German cloth, but even soldiers and officers are becoming poorly clad. Uniforms of Nazis captured recently show rayon content of 10 to 40 per cent, with uniforms of later issue of poorer quality than those of earlier issue.

RUBBER FROM PLANTS

Since America has turned to other sources for rubber than the hevea tropical tree which has supplied the world heretofore, no approach to the problem is being neglected. For example, Cornell University has perfected a process for determining the quantity of rubber contained in any plant life indicating its presence.

In addition to the Russian dandelion, fifteen species of milkweeds, varieties of Indian hemp, goldenrod and other plants were grown and tested for rubber content at various stages of growth. Most of the plants tested have shown rubber contents too low for commercial use. None, of course, was found to approach in possible yield the hevea tree which at maturity produces 500 to 1,000 tons of rubber to the acre.

The Cornell process employs a dye dissolved in a mixture of solvents. The plant is immersed in this liquid. The solvents penetrate the plant tissue and kill and preserve it for microscopic examination. The dye stains the rubber and resins that are present. The stained rubber is separated from the resins and the amount of rubber of the more prominent plants is then accurately determined by quantitative chemical analysis.

GENERAL ANDREWS' TASK

Lieut. Gen. Frank Andrews, who now is in command of the AEF in the European theatre, has two big objectives: To transport a great Army across the Atlantic from America, and to keep on bombing Axis cities relentlessly from the air in preparation for the Allied invasion. Although he has been in the air arm since 1917, General Andrews does not over-emphasize the importance of the plane in the war. He believes in the combined operations of all forces "whenever practicable." He prepared the air defense of Panama Canal before he went to Egypt, where he saw the warplane do its part, and knows that its contribution in the advance upon Europe will be tremendous.

PASTORS IN BRISTOL ANNOUNCE THEIR THEMES

For Services To Be Conducted In Local Edifices On Sunday

PROGRAMS FOR WEEK

The Bristol church pastors here with list services and sermon themes for Sunday, and announce meetings for the following week:

First Baptist Church

Walnut and Cedar streets. Morning worship service, 11, junior and senior choirs, sermon subject, "God Grows Roses While Man Grows What?"; evening worship service, eight, "The Human Detonation Cap," senior choir, Church School, 10 a. m. lesson study, "Jesus Restores Lazarus To Life," Christian Endeavor for juniors, three p. m.; under leadership of Mrs. Willis H. Bolte; Christian Endeavor for young people, seven p. m., under leadership of Warren Talbot.

Tuesday, seven p. m., junior choir rehearsal; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., prayer, praise, and Bible study; Wednesday, 8:30, choir rehearsal; Thursday, seven p. m., Camp Fire Girls, girls guardian, Mrs. Hugh Vandine.

St. James' P. E. Church

Services for Sunday: Eight a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Church School and Bible classes; 10:45, morning prayer and sermon; four p. m., confirmation lecture; 6:45 p. m., Young People's Fellowship.

Mother's Guild meets Tuesday in the parish house as usual; confirmation lectures being given on Tuesday evenings at eight, as well as on Sunday afternoons at four p. m.; Young People's Fellowship will have an informal supper in the parish house on Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.; the card party sponsored by St. James Circle will be held Thursday at the rectory at 1:30 p. m.; for members and friends of St. James Circle, proceeds for renovation of church of church.

Bristol Methodist Church

Corner Cedar and Mulberry streets; 9:45 a. m., session of the Church School, graded classes for children.

organized Bible classes for adults; 11 a. m., Divine worship, music by the church choir, directed by Mrs. Howard H. Smoyer, Mrs. Robert Kelso at the piano. The minister, the Rev. W. E. Preston Haas, will preach on the theme, "Christ's Pledge to the Weary." Two p. m., Junior Epworth League meeting; six p. m., meeting of the Intermediate League; 6:45 p. m., Methodist Youth Fellowship, Miss Ida Hampton, speaker; 7:45, evening song service, and Gospel message, in the League room.

Calvary Baptist Church

The Rev. Lehman Strauss, pastor; Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Bible School, free bus transportation; 11, morning worship, message by the pastor; 6:45 p. m., prayer group; seven p. m., B. Y. U., a helpful and inspiring young people's service; 7:45, evening evangelistic service, orchestra, inspiring song service, special music, message by the pastor, "A Priest and Priesthood That God Sanctifies."

Tuesday, eight, prayer, praise, and a Bible message.

Harriman Methodist Church

Edward K. Knott, minister, 255 Harriman street; services for Sunday: Sunday School, ten a. m.; morning service, 11:15; Youth Fellowship, seven p. m.; evening service, eight.

This evening is young people's recreation night at the church. A ping-pong tournament will start this week. Men's Group, Monday, 7:30 p. m.; Boy Scouts, Tuesday, seven p. m.; Boy Scouts, Thursday, seven p. m.; prayer meeting, Friday, 7:30 p. m.; choir rehearsal, Friday, 8:30 p. m.; junior choir, Saturday, 10 a. m.

Bristol Presbyterian Church

The services in Bristol Presbyterian Church on the Sabbath will be as follows: 9:45 a. m., Church School, under leadership of Fred Herman and Adrian Bastran; 10 a. m., men's Bible class, taught by the Rev. James R. Gailey, lesson, "The Ten Lepers"; 11, morning worship service, sermon by the pastor, "Man's Midnight and God's Morning"; 6:30 p. m., senior Christian Endeavor, leader, Donn Murdock; 7:30, evening worship service, sermon by the pastor, "Disregarded Signals."

If you have a house to rent advertise it in the Classified column. Classified Ads bring results.

Miss Laura Ellis Is Wed at Delmar, Del.

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were "The Sweetest Story Ever Told" and "Because," and Mr. Ralph E. Nichols, of Delmar, who sang "I Love You Truly." The accompanist was Mr. Wendell Williams, of Delmar, he also presiding at the organ console for the bride. Mr. Williams is a cousin of the bride.

Mrs. John D. Weik, 210 Jefferson avenue, and Mr. Paul Henry, a brother of the groom, attended the couple; and ushers were inclusive of Messrs. George W. Elliott, Jr., and Robert A. Elliott, Wilmington, Del., nephews of the bride.

A gown of white georgette crepe, floor length, was chosen by the bride for her wedding day. Braid insets were used as trim at the waistline. Her finger-tip veil of net was attached to a wreath formed of orange blossom clusters. Slippers were of white kid, and she carried an arm bouquet of white rose-buds.

Mrs. Weik was attired in a floor-length gown of dusty rose alpaca crepe, trim being of silk braid in a matching color tone. Her pale blue hat of straw was trimmed with roses in blue and dusty rose shade. The hat had a face veil. Her slippers were of silver, and her arm bouquet was composed of pink roses.

The reception following was held in the social hall of the church.

For a honeymoon trip Mrs. Henry wore a blue silk crepe dress, black coat, hat of black straw and black accessories. The couple will reside at Laurel, Del. The bride is a graduate of West Chester Normal School.

Free Scrap Dealer On Charge Of Fraud After Court Trial

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and made Kimmenhour an offer to buy the old equipment in the quarry for scrap. Albert is a well-known Wilkes-Barre scrap dealer.

Albert testified that he offered Kimmenhour \$650 for all the old equipment in the quarry and some other scrap that was on the farm and that the prosecutor accepted the bid. The

scrap was removed and, according to the defendant, Kimmenhour was present most of the time as the scrap was loaded on the defendant's truck.

The prosecutor had previously testified that he made a verbal deal with Albert to operate the quarry, or to put the equipment in shape to operate. Albert denied this on the stand.

The prosecutor, Kimmenhour, cannot read or write, so the business, so far as writing was concerned, was done by a sister of the prosecutor.

Kimmenhour, who cannot read or write, testified that Albert, about two years ago, came to his farm at the Harrow where they made an oral agreement. The defendant is alleged to have told Kimmenhour that he had a man whom he could get to operate the quarry. Kimmenhour testified that if Albert could get a profit of 4 cents a ton, that he (Albert) was to keep 1 cent on every ton and that he was to get 3 cents on every ton.

Kimmenhour testified that, without his permission, Albert started to remove certain bits of quarry equipment from the quarry, including three side dump cars, which he cut up with an electric torch, 62 rails and some other equipment, that he took for scrap to be sold.

Lydia Kimmenhour, a sister of the prosecutor, testified that she had written Albert several times, for her brother, asking him to pay for the equipment that was taken away, but that she never heard from him about those specific requests. The woman was shown two checks that were sent to the prosecutor by the defendant, one of which bore the notation, "in payment for the rails and dump cars." She at first admitted that she remembered seeing the notation on the check that she had cashed, but then said she didn't.

For the defense, Edmund Peters, of Scranton, employed by the defendant, testified that Kimmenhour was in the quarry every time that the equipment was taken out.

The defendant, Albert, testified that he made a deal—a written contract—with Mrs. Kimmenhour to buy the material in the quarry for scrap and that the defendant agreed to the arrangements. Albert testified that he gave no check to Kimmenhour as payment for the cars and rails "in full," and marked it on the check, at Mrs. Kimmenhour's request because her brother can't read.

Lauds Aid Of Those Who Donate Of Blood

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blood to the Red Cross for servicemen are aiding directly in the winning of the war.

The letter, written by Louis A. Russo, follows:

Navy No. 602,
c/o Fleet Post Office,
New York, N. Y.

Editor of The Bristol Courier.

Dear Sir:

I wish to acknowledge to you that I have been receiving issues of the Bristol Courier rather often, and I can truthfully say that reading the home-town paper really is a joy out here. I get many letters from home, but they cannot tell me all the happenings at home as does the Courier. It's swell to know what is occurring and also to know how the rest of the boys in the service are doing.

There is one thing I would like to say in regard to the civilian population in aiding the war effort. I don't know

how it's being stressed to the people in the States, but it concerns the giving of blood to the Red Cross. Let me tell you, this is one of the best ways of directly helping win the war, and also in saving a man's life. Being a part of the Navy Medical Corps for the past five months, I can readily vouch

for this. So if and when the Red Cross comes around for this service, I only hope they apply 100%.

I'll be looking forward anxiously to the next few issues of the Courier.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS A. RUSSO, U. S. N. R.

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Announcements

Deaths

BUCK—At Bristol, Pa., February 18, 1943, William A., husband of the late Elmhora Buck. Relatives and friends, also all organizations of which he was a member, are invited to attend the services on Monday, at 2 p. m., from Molden's Funeral Chapel, 133 Otter St., Bristol. Interment Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

SANTAMARIA—At Burlington, N. J., Feb. 19, 1943, Fedele, husband of Anna Santamaria (nee La Polla). Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 431 Cedar St., Bristol, on Monday, at 9 a. m., High Mass in St. Ann's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment St. Mark's Cemetery.

BUCKMAN—At Langhorne, Pa., February 18, 1943, Clarence J., husband of Ada L. Buckman, age 63. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, Beechwood, near Langhorne, on Monday, Feb. 22, at 2 o'clock. Friends may call Sunday evening after 6 p. m. Interment private.

Cards of Thanks

WE WISH TO THANK—All those who sent fruit, cards and otherwise assisted at the time of the illness of Mrs. Samuel Hagerman. We also wish to thank all those who sent flowers, expressions of sympathy, provided cars or aided in any manner at the time of her death, which occurred last Sunday.

THE HAGERMAN FAMILY.

In Memoriam

RAWFORD—Mother and father. In loving memory of our dear mother who passed away Feb. 20, 1933, and our dear father who passed away Feb. 20, 1940.

It's loneliness here without you And sad the weary way. For life is not the same to us Since you were called away. Deeply loved and sadly missed by DAUGHTERS AND SONS.

Funeral Directors

A CONVENIENT PLAN—For moderate funerals, William L. Murphy Est., 316 Jefferson Ave., Bristol, Pa., ph. 2417. MOLDEN FUNERAL SERVICE—Bristol, Pa. Within the means of all. Phone 2217 or 2169.

Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST—Sugar ration book, Marie Theresa Hall, 1st & Miller Aves., Croydon.

LOST—2 ration books, Margaret Louise Relinger, Barry Reed Relinger, Colonial ave. and Bristol Pike Andalusia.

LOST—Sugar ration book, Charlotte R. Ball, Bristol Pike & Maple Avenue, Edgington, Pa.

LOST—2 sugar ration books, Paul Kovitch and Robert Kovitch, Bridge water Road, Box 628, Croydon P. O.

LOST—"A" gasoline ration book, Thomas Wallace, Montague Avenue Philadelphia, Call Bris. 7401.

LOST—Sugar ration book, Lena Book, R. D. 1, Bristol, Pa.

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Employment

Help Wanted—Female

WOMAN—For general housework splendid wages. Write Box No. 357, Bristol Courier.

GIRL—Or middle-aged woman to do housework. Apply 655 Spruce St.

SALESLADIES—16 to 55 yrs. of age. Some full time and part-time work. For married woman, can arrange for morning or afternoon work to suit your free time from housework. Apply anytime to manager, McCrory's, 5 & 10 Cent Store.

WOMAN—To do housework or girl after school and Saturday. Apply Mrs. Watson, Laings Gardens.

YOUNG WOMEN—To work in store full or part time. Apply Mart Green's Store, 237 Mill St.

WOMAN OVER 30—Who cannot do factory or office work. Earn extra money in business. Permits flexible hours. Write Box No. 444, Courier.

WANTED—Woman for cleaning and light laundry one or two days weekly. Location Andalusia. Call Corn. 0559.

Employment

Help Wanted—Male

DRIVER-SALESMEN—Retail bakery routes, 5 day week, average earnings \$50 to \$55. Apply Dugar Brothers, Highway 25, Burlington, N. J.

BOYS—For part time work after school. Must be 16 years old. Apply Marty Green's Store, 237 Mill St.

MACHINISTS—And machinist apprentices. Better than scale wages. Working open shop, day and night shifts. Have opening for 10 good all around machinists for new small and medium weight accurate work. Howie Machine and Engineering Co., Morrisville, Pa.

BOY—to serve Courier in part of 4th Ward, Bristol.

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Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

PET—Pomeranian puppy, A.K.C. Reas. Apply 425 Walnut Ave., Andalusia. Phone Corn. 0287.

Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

Pigs—Reasonable price, Mr. Harry Wilkinson, opposite Houser's Coal Yard, Bath Road. Phone Bristol 7698. Call anytime.

Poultry and Supplies

60 PULLETS—N. H. Reds, 5½ months old. Harold Benner, ph. Hulme 6504.

Wanted—Livestock

WANTED—10 or 12 young ducks. Laying or ready to lay. Mrs. Cullen, Maple Ave., Bridgewater, Pa.

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WALLPAPER—Complete room lots for any room in the house, size 9x12 \$1.15, incl. sidewall, ceiling & border. Charles Richman, 315 Mill street.

Wanted—To Buy

WANT—Refrigerator, small, electric, cash. Phone Nichols Photo Service, Bristol 2925.

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APARTMENT—In country, 5 rooms, bath, electric stove, garage, rent \$60 includes hot water and heat. A. P. Townsend & Son, Langhorne, Pa. Tel. Lang. 2261.

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Real Estate For Sale

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Houses for Sale

FEW MODERN HOMES—Are still available for defense workers. Call Bristol 2400 for appointment. Penn Valley Constructors, Inc.

BE INDEPENDENT—BUY FARM

18 acres, stone house, 2 miles from Bristol, price \$5,000. Also for sale: Buckley St., 421, single house, all conveniences, price \$2,500. Charles La Polla, 1418 Farragut Ave., Bristol. Phone 652.

Wanted—Real Estate

HAVE CASH BUYERS—For bungalows in Bensalem Township and also for farms in Bucks County. Please send detailed description with your first letter. Frank Laska, 2353 Orthodox St., Philadelphia, ph. Jef. 8341.

THEY SELL SAILORS ELEPHANTS

by FREDERICK HAZLITT BRENNAN

SYNOPSIS

Seaman Benjamin Linn and Fireman Timothy Dunnevan, of the U. S. Destroyer Trimble, believed that the Lord loves U. S. sailors if their hearts are pure. They also felt that civilians sold sailors elephants; in other words, "put over fast ones." And, whenever possible, the firm of Dunnevan and Linn—better known as Force and Brains, Inc.—sold said elephants right back at a profit. That's how Benny wound up in the brig. It seems he sold a mortgaged motorcycle to Marine Private Zewski. The motorcycle shop had agreed to cancel the mortgage because the bike had a cracked cylinder, but failed to do so and Zewski told the marines. Lieutenant Commander Herrick absolved Tim from blame on the grounds that Benny led him around by the nose. On deck, Tim is bemoaning the fate of his buddy when he receives a letter informing him an uncle had left him \$14,346.47.

CHAPTER TWO

The brain of Force & Brains, Inc., at that moment languishing in dunceville, had never wavered in his faith. To Seaman Linn, as he reclined on an improvised bunk in the Trimble's storeroom, the officer Zewski was but a temporary embarrassment, a minor contretemps. Sorrow's crown of sorrows had been pressed upon his brow, but Benny was already trying to think how to raffle it off as pure gold, preferably to civilians or, that failing, to the Marine Corps. While waiting for an idea, he comforted himself by singing a China Station ditty entitled "The Dying Marine":

An old Marine lay dying
In the gutter of Cathay—
The stones were cold,
The dogs were bold,
A beggar heard him say:
"Nuts to Marines;
From heaven's scenes
They'll lead you far astray.
But, oh, be true
To Navy Blue—
And die in the arms of Mae!"

Seaman Linn was just starting on the second verse—a ribald description of the dead Marine—when Chief Bosun's Mate Mulcahy unlocked the door and Fireman Dunnevan lunged in. Seaman Linn spat nonchalantly through his teeth.

"Hi-yah," Tim, he said, "I knowed all the time the Cap'n was just foolin'. Does the Lawd love U. S. sailors or don't he? Howabout—"

Parties

Social Events

Activities

Citizenship Day Observed
By Perkasio Club Women

PERKASIE, Feb. 20—"Citizenship Day" was observed at this week's meeting of Perkasio Woman's Club in Fraternity Temple. The entire program, presented by club members and their sons, centered around a patriotic theme.

Clyde Flory, Jr., opened the program with a piano solo, "March" (Sousa). Mrs. Russell H. Crouthamel, the vice-president, was in charge. Mrs. J. Melvin Freed gave the "War-bit" of the day.

A group of sons of club members sang "Yankee Doodle" and "We Did It Before," with Mrs. Warren B. Gulick directing and Mrs. Willard H. Shad-dinger as accompanist. The group then recited the preamble to the Constitution. Included in the group were Clyde Flory, Jr., William Fluck, Alan Musselman, Richard Price, Floyd Yeakel, Thomas Knipe, Martin Miller, Benny Kramer, John Crouthamel, John Gulick, Jack Vibbert, John Groff, John Keller, Jack Kraft, Donald Ziegelfuss, Hart Rufe and Vernon Kressley. This group also sang the "Marine Hymn" and "God Bless America."

After a piano duet, "March Militaire," by William Fluck and Alan Musselman, a dramatization called "Family Portraits," portraying some of the outstanding women in the nation's history, was given under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Stover.

Taking part in the dramatization were: Mrs. Samuel Musselman, Mrs. Francis March, Mrs. T. Wells Knipe and Mrs. J. J. Conroy. The narrators were Mrs. N. W. Beringer, Mrs. Herbert Frame, Mrs. Frank Benner and Mrs. William Hunsicker.

The hostesses were Mrs. William R. Sine, Mrs. Lamar Ruth and Miss Adelaide Frederici.

In a Personal Way ---

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. ---

To arrange for publication of writings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Eloquent announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mrs. William Gamble, Roxborough, spent Sunday until Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moss Shatzer, Buckley street. Mr. Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gamble, Roxborough, spent Wednesday at the Shatzer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson, Jr., Nelson Court, are the parents of a son born this week in Harriman Hospital. Pvt. Robert Patterson, 3rd, who recently entered the service, is now stationed at Fort McClellan, Ala. Pvt. Patterson is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, Sr., Cedar street. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Jr., have returned from several days' visit with him.

Miss Florence Antonelli and mother, Mrs. Anna Antonelli, Jefferson avenue, and Mrs. C. Delisio, Wood street, spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mignone, Holmesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Capella, Logan street, and Mr. and Mrs. Faust Clotti, Garden street, entertained at dinner on Sunday in honor of Francis Clotti, Holmesburg, who will leave next Wednesday for army service. The dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Capella. Mr. and Mrs. Capella and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clotti

Today's Quiet Moment

(By the Rev. James R. Galley)
Pastor, Bristol Presbyterian Church

We thank Thee, O God, for the atonement of Jesus Christ our Lord; that He so loved us that He left the glory which was His as one of the Godhead and came upon earth, taking upon Himself the form of man, that in His life and death those who believe on Him might have everlasting life. May we never forget His sacrifice. May the memory of His gift spur us on to deeds of greater personal service, that the blessings which we have received might be made known to those with whom we come in contact. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

and family, Bristol; and Miss Helen Clotti and Francis Clotti, Holmesburg, were present.

Thomas Profy, 3rd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Profy, Jr., Mill and Pond streets, has been ill at his home several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campion, Florida, were visitors of Mrs. Campion's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whyatt, Wilson avenue, a few days this week.

PFC Jacob Hellings, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hellings, Sr., Market street, has been promoted to corporal. Corp. Hellings just returned from Algeria and spent a day this week with his parents.

Mrs. A. D. Wistar, Lansdowne, formerly of Bristol, spent Wednesday in town visiting friends and was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McEuen, Harrison street.

John Bustran, a student at Lafayette College, Easton, spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bustran, Wilson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bingham, Wissinoming, spent Wednesday in Bristol visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. Baiocchi, Pine Grove street, entertained a few friends at her home on Wednesday evening. Six were present and the evening was enjoyed in a social way and refreshments were

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served. Guests were from Bristol and Jenkintown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Faranaca and family, Philadelphia, spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Faranaca's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Norato, Dorrance street.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

Heralded as a romantic swing-film, Universal's "Strictly In the Groove" comes Sunday to the Grand Theatre. The movie has a cast of the screen's brightest young players, a score of the leaders of the five hit parade, and a capacity load of laughs, advance announcements declare.

Headlining the cast are three sterling comedians, namely Leon Errol, Shemp Howard and Franklin Pangborn. On the feminine side are such

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talented performers as Grace McDona-ld, Mary Healy and Martha Tilton. Popular young Richard Davies has a prominent role.

BRISTOL THEATRE

We fell for "Wrecking Crew" like a ton of bricks, and, if our critical faculties serve us, you'll find it to your liking too, in no uncertain knock-down, knock-out terms. The film opened yesterday at the Bristol Theatre.

"Three Mesquites" new picture. "Shadows On the Sage," is now showing at the Bristol.

"The Forest Rangers" shows tomorrow.

RITZ THEATRE

As the crippled night club singer who finds love on the threshold of eternity in Radio's "The Big Street," Lucille Ball has one of the outstanding roles of her film career.

Excitement, romance and laughter comprise the triple theme of "Here We Go Again," the new screen comedy

with Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy and Fibber McGee and Molly. Both are at the Ritz.

COMMUNICATION

The Red Cross of Bristol is desirous of expressing appreciation of your splendid co-operation in publicity of the various activities in which it is engaged.

Kindly acquaint your splendid office force of our gratitude.

Thanking you, I am,

MARY DU HAMEL

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Doylestown
Bruce M. Reeder, 20, Newtown, and S. Elizabeth Livezey, 20, New Hope.
George Harrison Trumbower, 22, Zion Hill, and Martha McKeever, 22, Sellersville.

Paul Edward Bottinelli, Jr., 24, Willow Grove, and Liberty D. Corrigan, 24, Grantwood, N. J.

John Brunner Horn, 17, and Dorothy F. Ahlum, 18, both of Sellersville, Charles F. Ball, 36, and Marian C. Swain, 35, both of 4608 Cottman St., Philadelphia.

George N. J. Sommer, Jr., 34, 129 West State St., Trenton, and Anne L. Fitz Gerald, 36, River Rd., Yardley.

John J. Ryan, 31, and Winifred H. Ryan, 34, both of Parkland.

George Calvin Buehrle, 19, Perkasio RD 1, and Marian Seachrist, 16, Perkasio.

Harold W. Luff, 21, Ivyland, and Ida Tomlinson, 20, Trevese.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stake and daughter Ruth spent Wednesday visiting in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Wright Carlen and Mrs. Charles Carlen were Wednesday visitors of Mrs. Anthony Falzina, West Trenton. Earl Wright, an employee of the Rohm & Haas Co., is now residing in Knoxville, Tenn.

SOUNDS LIKE THE BUNK

ENID FLYING SCHOOL, Okla.—(INS)—Private to his top sergeant: "Sergeant, was I gigger today?" Sergeant: "Gigger? What for?" Private: "A guy in the barracks said you stopped and looked hard at my bunk while I was on duty." Sergeant: "On duty? I thought you were sleeping in that bunk?"

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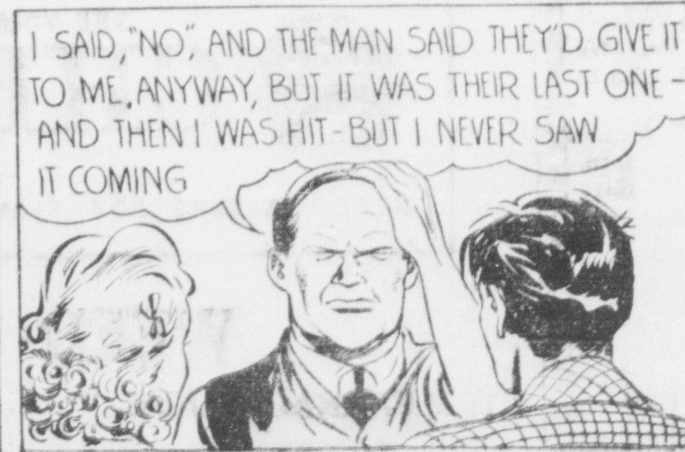
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SERGEANT PAT OF RADIO PATROL

By EDDIE SULLIVAN and CHARLIE SCHMIDT



MORRISVILLE HIGH WINS LOWER BUCKS CHAMPIONSHIP BY DEFEATING BRISTOL, 34 TO 29

Beating Bristol for the second time this season, Morrisville High School took the Lower Bucks County championship title last night on the local floor. Final tabulations were: Morrisville, 34; Bristol, 29.

Bristol was off on its shooting from the floor, having but eight field goals to its credit. And to top this, the Bunnies played fully 12 minutes before Scancellia dropped in the first field goal. Morrisville had 12 double-deckers to its credit.

It was a typical Morrisville-Bristol contest with many fouls prevalent. Bristol had 22 opportunities from the foul line while Morrisville had 17. Bristol did better than usual on the foul shots, scoring 13 while the visitors dropped in 10.

At the close of the contest, Aiello, Querns, Young, Hoernle, and Seltzer had three personals each while both Stradling and Pratt had a pair each. Angelo Cordisco, Bristol forward, was removed from the game in the final period for deliberate fouling.

It wasn't Mayo Scancellia's fault that Bristol lost the tussle. Mayo played one of the best games of his basketball career as he raked up four twin-pointers and a pair of fouls to lead the scorers of the game and besides this he was instrumental in getting the ball off the backboard and breaking up many of the Morrisville plays.

Bristol trailed 9-5 at the quarter mark without scoring a field goal. At the half-time whistle, Scancellia scored a foul and field goal to put Bristol behind, 15-13 but Morrisville increased this to 27-20 at the end of the third period. In the final period, Bristol was within two points of the Morrisville total before Hoernle dropped in the field and foul goal which decided the issue.

Bristol	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pt.	Tot.
Messanelli f	1	0	0	2
Simons f	0	0	0	0
Cordisco f	0	0	0	0
Collins f	0	0	0	0
Ruby c	1	0	0	2
McDevitt c	0	0	0	0
Scancellia f	4	2	0	10
Maag g	1	0	0	2
	8	12	22	29

Morrisville	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pt.	Tot.
Aiello f	2	2	0	4
Pratt f	1	0	0	2
Querns f	1	0	0	2
Young c	1	0	0	2
Hoernle c	2	1	0	5
Seltzer g	1	0	0	2
Stradling g	1	0	0	2
	12	19	17	34

Referees: Meyers and Derrick.
Timers: Hoffman and Maraglia.
Scorers: Corn and Shauer.

Half-time score: Morrisville, 15; Bristol, 13.

PLAYOFF NECESSARY FOR JR. VARSITY TITLE

Because Morrisville beat Bristol in the junior varsity game, a playoff is necessary to decide the Lower Bucks County junior championship. This game has been scheduled for next Tuesday night on the Morrisville floor.

Score of last night's game was: Morrisville, 27; Bristol, 24. Morrisville fought an uphill battle to cop the decision, at one stage of the game, Bristol leading by eight points.

Walker and Elhaft scored the winning points for the boys of "Jimmy" Doheny. Walker was high scorer in the tilt with 14 points. Bristol was slow to get started. Morrisville piling up an early lead but the Bunnies edged their way up and at the half-time mark, Oriola and Mandio scored field goals which put Bristol in the lead, 9-8.

This lead was increased as Massi and Fisher began to score in the second half but faded when Walker found his shooting eye and began to tally Morrisville points.

Bristol J. V.	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pt.	Tot.
Fisher f	2	3	0	7
Massi f	4	1	0	9
DiAngelo f	0	0	0	0
Embsen c	0	0	0	0
Lompa c	1	1	0	2
Mandio g	1	1	0	2
Oriola g	1	0	0	2
Cordisco g	0	0	0	0
	9	6	21	24

Morrisville J. V.	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pt.	Tot.
Alison f	0	1	0	1
Schaver f	1	2	0	3
Patterson f	0	0	0	0
Walker f	6	2	0	14
Burns c	0	0	0	0
Elhaft c	1	1	0	2
Summers g	0	0	0	0
Lorimer g	2	1	0	5
Lebergren g	0	0	0	0
	10	7	19	27

Referees: Meyers and Derrick.
Timers: Maraglia. Scorers: Praksta.
Half-time score: Morrisville, 15; Bristol, 9; Morrisville, 8.

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Americans Withdraw to More Advantageous Positions

Allied Headquarters in North Africa—Successful withdrawal of American forward positions in the Ousselat valley to more advantageous positions in the western line of hills was announced by the North African High Command today. "The adjustment," a communique said, "conforms to our positions further south, where we occupied a hill northwest of Feriana and Kasserine."

Gandhi's Condition Grave

Bombay—The condition of Mohandas K. Gandhi today was described as grave. Overnight, a communique said, his condition had changed considerably for the worse.

Earlier reports had said Gandhi was considerably weakened as the 11th day of his protest fast began, and Indian authorities were taking precautions against possible disturbances should the 75-year-old political leader die as the result of his gesture of defiance.

Russians Drive Axis Forces Toward Dnieper River

Moscow—Victorious Russian armies drove shattered Axis forces westward toward the Dnieper River today in relentless offensives that swept forward along the whole southern front.

Surge by Axis in Central Tunisia Has Been Halted

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positions in central Tunisia where the Axis columns smashed forward more than 60 miles during the week.

Reuters reported that British forces had occupied Jerba Island in the Bay of Gabes, 35 miles off the Axis held port. It was assumed the island would provide sea and air bases for Allied assaults on the East Tunisian coast and on Axis supply routes from Italy.

A Morocco broadcast declared that Allied commanders "felt no anxiety over the recent Axis victories" and declared the Komel offensive probably was inspired by a German desire to have something cheerful to offset the Russian defeats.

But it was questionable whether the Tunisian triumph will dull the bitter dose of the debacle in Russia. Soviet armies smashed ahead today and reported advances on all strategic sectors of the 600-mile front from Orel to the Caucasus.

Russian spearheads were 25 miles west of Kharkov and moving rapidly toward the next enemy strongpoints at Poltava and Krasnodar. They were within 50 miles of these goals, and surging ahead on a 45-mile front.

The last German-held town between Kharkov and Kursk was overrun and the garrison slaughtered. By capture of this strongpoint, the town of Oboyan 40 miles below Kursk the Russians won full control of the Kharkov Kursk railway.

They now will be able to shift troops rapidly on a 120-mile sector and so greatly increase their offensive power.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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Extremely cold weather was responsible to a large extent for the rather small attendance at the combination auction held on the property of the Rice brothers, near Solebury. In spite of the fact that less than 500 persons attended the sale, the proceeds were about up to par. They were \$3628.47, and the sale of the poultry amounted to \$1798.29. The top price received for poultry was 36 cents a pound for roasters and pullets.

Livestock sold rather slowly. Of the five cows offered, three were sold at prices which ranged from \$78 to \$160. Two of the three heifers offered sold for \$42.50 and \$46, and fifteen calves ranged in selling price from \$2.50 to \$26.50. Ten bulls were offered, but none was sold. Two horses were also offered, but they also remained unsold. A lone goat went to the high bidder for \$3.50.

Approximately 180 hogs were offered and about 100 were sold at the following prices: brood sows, \$40; fat hogs, \$27 to \$40.50; seed hogs, \$30; shoats, \$8 to \$17, and small pigs, \$1 to \$9.

Announce Red Cross War Fund Workers; Drive Mar. 8th

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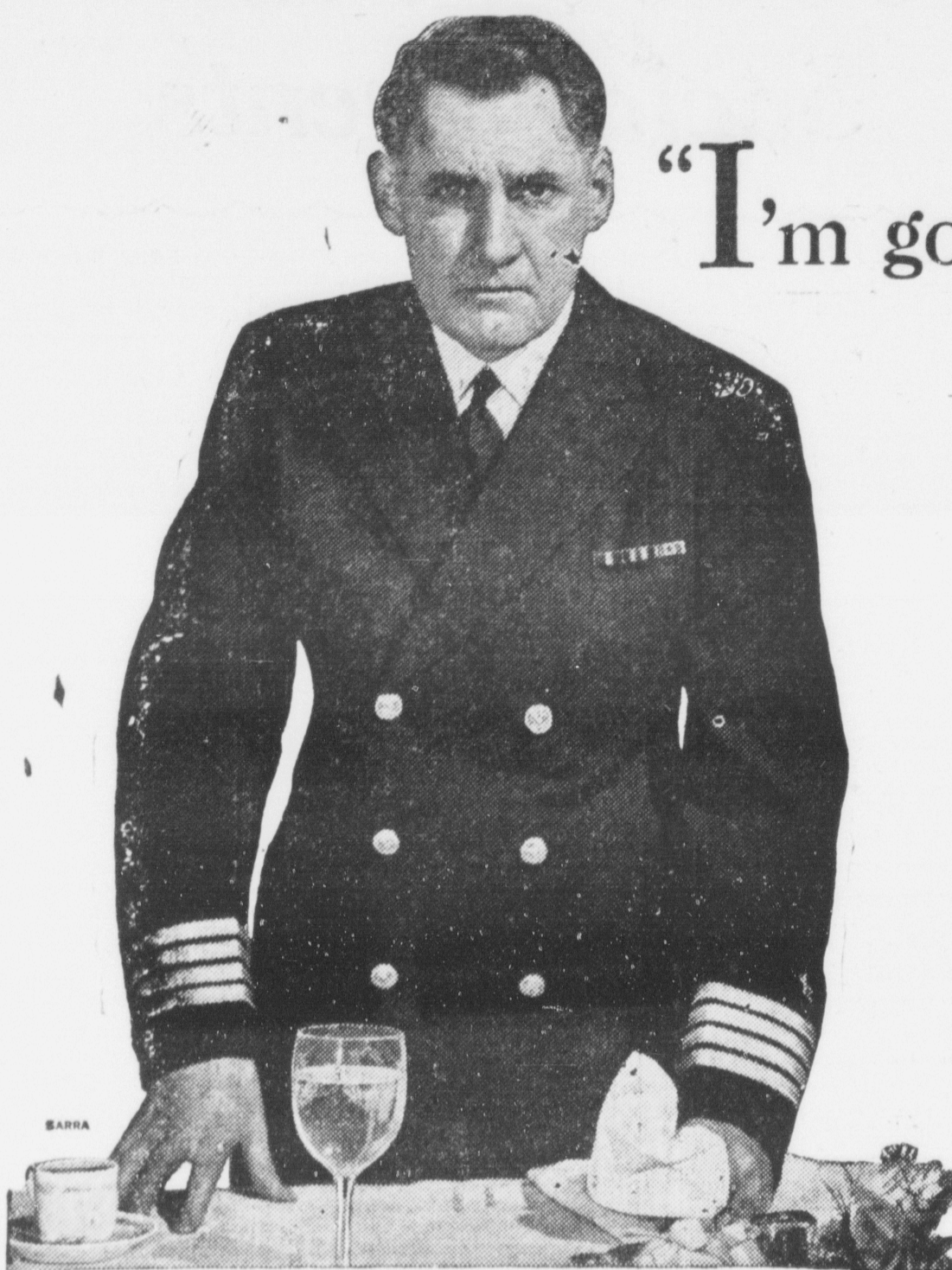
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THE RECORD SINCE PEARL HARBOR

For the Armed Forces—More than one million and a half service men have received, through the Field Staff, practical help in personal problems. The Red Cross is with them in training and at the front. For morale and recreation, over one hundred Red Cross Clubs have been established for overseas troops. There are more than five thousand workers in the field.

Civilian Relief—About sixty million dollars in war relief has been administered in every allied country. Food, clothing, medicinal supplies have gone to Great Britain, Russia, China, Africa for Polish and Greek refugees, and many others.

Thousands of packages to prisoners of war have been safely delivered through cooperation with the International Red Cross in Switzerland.

The Home Front—Training our people to meet the needs of war. Millions of First Aid Courses. Hundreds of thousands trained in Home Nursing and Nutrition Courses. Thousands enlisted as Nurses' Aides and in Motor and Canteen and Staff Assistant Corps.

More than one million and a half blood donations through Red Cross collection centers and the distribution of the life saving Plasma wherever needed.

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Auxiliary Police Take Their Oath of Office

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over the reins, in Russell Brownback, Frank Lewis will continue to carry on his service as captain of the brigade.

The following men received official badge numbers and armbands. They have been registered in the Doylestown OGD files: Burton Hogarth, James Mellor, Russell E. Gorton, Winfield E. Hogarth, Sr., Ralph Bates, Samuel Gould Mucklow, Leo Durnin, Carl Frank, Charles Paulson, Edward P. Canby, Walter J. Harbison, Joseph Siegle, Raymond Robinson, Raymond Lewis, Ludwig Munster, Palmer E. Kershon, and Robert C. Magee.

Real Estate In Bucks Co. Changes Ownership

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ux to Franklin G. King et ux, 13 acres, \$4200.

Hilltown twp.—Rosa H. Kulp to Curtis L. Lawrence et ux, 16.5, \$1400.
Haycock and East Rockhill twps.—Robert Carson et ux to William H. Koehnlein et ux, 63 acres, \$3250.
Milford twp.—Clarence E. Wimmer et ux to Edward Hrabina, lot \$4600.
Haycock twp.—Emma Hendricks Bissey to Winfield Keller et ux, \$9 acres, \$2000.
Hilltown township—Administrators of Frank Sherm to Isaac De Derstine et ux, 13 acres, 23 perches, \$1800.
Quakertown—G. Ferdinand Betz et ux to Frank Marcella et ux, lot.
Trevese—Ralph R. Bentley to William R. Hay et ux, lots, \$1865.

Middletown Grange Announces Delegates

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Charles Lowmes, Jr., opened a discussion relating to farm subsidies which, he said, are for the purpose of greater production and increasing the productivity of the soil. Herman Heston spoke of the difficulties of farm subsidies as viewed from the angle of the farmer.

Miss Marie Heston gave a number of quotations by Lincoln and Washington, and later in the evening games appropriate to the season were enjoyed under the direction of the lecturer, Mrs. Leslie Kirk.

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